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By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament ſtands prorogued to Thurſday the Twenty Fourth Day of this Inſtant October, We, with the Advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publiſh and declare, That the ſaid Parliament ſhall be further prorogued on the ſaid Twenty Fourth Day of October, to Tueſday the Seventeenth Day of December next: And We have given Order to Our Chancellor of Great Britain to prepare a Commiſſion for proroguing the ſame accordingly. And We do hereby further declare Our Royal Will and Pleaſure, That the ſaid Parliament ſhall, on the ſaid Seventeenth Day of December next, be held and ſit for the Diſpatch of divers weighty and important Affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeſſes, and the Commiſſioners for Shires and Burghs of the Houſe of Commons, are hereby required to give their Attendance accordingly at Weſtminſter on the ſaid Seventeenth Day of December next.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, the Eighteenth Day of October, One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Sixty Five, in the Fifth Year of Our Reign.

GOD ſave the KING.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 18th Day of *October*, 1765,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

HIS Majeſty having been pleaſed to appoint the moſt Honourable Charles Marqueſs of Rockingham to be Lord Lieutenant of the Weſt Riding of the County of York, and of the City of York and County of the ſame; his Lordſhip this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, inſtead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

Berlin, October 5. Her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Amelia, the King of Pruſſia's Siſter, arrived laſt Wedneſday at Potzdam from Brunſwick, where ſhe had been on a Viſit to that Court.

[Price Three-pence.]

St. James's, October 19.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Charles Knowles, Eſq; Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majeſty's Fleet, and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten, the Dignity of a Baronet of the Kingdom of Great Britain.

General Poſt-Office, June 8, 1765.

PUBLICK Notice is hereby given, That by an Act paſſed the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, "For altering certain Rates of Poſtage, and for "amending, explaining, and enlarging ſeveral Pro-"viſions in the Act of the Ninth of Queen Anne, "and other Acts relating to the Poſt-Office;" It is, amongſt other Things, Enacted,

That Letters between *London* and any Port within the *Britiſh* Dominions in *America*, (in which all His Majeſty's *Weſt-India* Iſlands are included) ſhall pay Single One Shilling, Double Two Shillings, Treble Three Shillings, the Ounce Four Shillings.

That Letters, by Sea, from any one Port to any other Port within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Four Pence, Double Eight Pence, Treble One Shilling, the Ounce One Shilling and Four Pence.

That Letters, by Land, to or from any Chief Poſt-Office in *America*, from or to any other Part thereof not exceeding Sixty Miles from ſuch Chief Poſt Office, or from the Office where ſuch Letters, not paſſing through a Chief Office, may be put in, ſhall pay Single Four Pence, Double Eight Pence, Treble One Shilling, the Ounce One Shilling and Four Pence. And being upwards of Sixty, and not exceeding One Hundred Miles within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Six Pence, Double One Shilling, Treble One Shilling and Six Pence, the Ounce Two Shillings. And being upwards of One Hundred, and not exceeding Two Hundred Miles within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Eight Pence, Double One Shilling and Four Pence, Treble Two Shillings, the Ounce Two Shillings and Eight Pence. And for every Diſtance not exceeding One Hundred Miles above ſuch Two Hundred, and for every ſuch further Diſtance within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Two Pence, Double Four Pence, Treble Six Pence, the Ounce Eight Pence.

That no Veſſel ſhall be permitted to break Bulk, or make Entry in any Port within the *Britiſh* Dominions, where Poſts are or may be eſtabliſhed, until all Letters on board are delivered to the Poſtmaſter of ſuch Port (he paying the Bringer One Penny for each Letter) to be forwarded according to their reſpective Directions, except ſuch as are excepted by the Act of the Ninth of Queen *Anne*; and ſuch as may be brought by Veſſels liable to Quarentine, which laſt are to be delivered to the Perſons ſuperintending the Quarentine, for proper Care, before they are forwarded by the Poſt. And that all Maſters, Mariners, Paſſengers,

Paſſengers, &c. neglecting to deliver the Letters as aforeſaid, ſhall, for every Neglect, forfeit Twenty Pounds.

That the Poſtmaſter ſhall take for every Letter brought by ſuch Veſſel, for any Place within his Delivery, One Penny, above the Penny paid to the Maſter or other Perſon for the ſame.

That Letters conveyed in *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, not exceeding one Stage, ſhall pay Single One Penny, Double Two Pence, Treble Three Pence, the Ounce Four Pence. And in *England*, above one and not exceeding two Stages, Single Two Pence, Double Four Pence, Treble Six Pence, the Ounce Eight Pence; but theſe Rates are not to affect the Penny-Poſt.

That Letters paſſing between *England* and *Ireland*, through *Carliſle*, *Dumfries*, *Port Patrick*, and *Donaghadee*, ſhall pay the ſame Rates of *Engliſh*, *Scotch*, *Iriſh*, and Packet Poſtage, according to the Diſtance or Number of Stages they are conveyed in each Kingdom, as are ſettled by the Act of the Ninth of Queen *Anne*, or by this Act.

That no Packet exceeding the Weight of Four Ounces ſhall be ſent by the Penny-Poſt; unleſs coming from, or paſſing thereby to the General-Poſt.

That Letters paſſing between *London* and *Hamburgh* ſhall pay as Letters between *London* and all other Parts of *Germany*, viz. Single One Shilling, Double Two Shillings, Treble Three Shillings, the Ounce Four Shillings.

That any Officer of the Poſt-Office ſecreting or deſtroying any Letter, Bag or Mail of Letters, containing any Bank Note, Bill, or other Paper, Writing, or Order for the Payment of Money; or ſtealing out of any Letter any ſuch Bank Note, Bill, &c. on Conviction, ſhall ſuffer Death as a Felon.

That any Perſon robbing a Mail, in any Place or in any Manner whatſoever, although it may not appear that any one was put in Fear by ſuch Robbery, ſhall, on Conviction, ſuffer Death as a Felon.

That any Officer of the Poſt-Office, entruſted to take in Letters, and receive the Poſtage thereof, embezzling the Money received, or deſtroying the Letters; or any Officer advancing the Rates on Letters, and not accounting for the advanced Poſtage, ſhall, on Conviction, be deemed guilty of Felony.

That any Poſt-Boy having a Mail or Bag of Letters under his Care, deſerting the ſame before his Arrival at the next Stage; or ſuffering any other Perſon to ride on the Horſe or Carriage along therewith; or loitering on the Road; or not, in all poſſible Caſes, conveying the Mail after the Rate of Six meaſured Miles an Hour, ſhall, on Conviction, before one Juſtice of the Peace, be ſent to the Houſe of Correction for any Time not exceeding One Month, nor leſs than Fourteen Days.

That any Poſt-Boy, ſingly, or in Combination with others, unlawfully collecting, or conveying Letters, or cauſing the ſame to be unlawfully conveyed, ſhall, on Conviction, before one Juſtice of the Peace, forfeit Ten Shillings, to be paid to the Informer, for every Letter ſo unlawfully collected, conveyed, or delivered. And if the Forfeiture is not immediately paid, ſhall be ſent to the Houſe of Correction, for any Time not exceeding Two Months, nor leſs than One Month.

That all Rates of Letters, and all Forfeitures, mentioned in this Act, ſhall be paid in Sterling Money of *Great Britain*.

The Rates eſtabliſhed by this Act for the Port of Letters between *London* and *Hamburgh*; and the Limitation of the Weight of Packets to be ſent by the Penny-Poſt, commence from *the Fifth of July next*. All other Regulations, Rates of Poſtage, Pains, Penalties, and Forfeitures beforementioned, commence from *the Tenth Day of October next*.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter-General,

Henry Potts, Secretary.

Cuſtom-Houſe, London, Oct. 8, 1765.

For Sale, by Order of the Honourable Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, &c. (in Purſuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His preſent Majeſty) on Tueſday the 22d, Wedneſday the 23d, Thurſday the 24th, and on Tueſday the 29th, and Wedneſday the 30th of October inſtant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the ſaid Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in ſmall Quantities for the better Accommodation of the ſeveral Dealers, as well as private Perſons, who chuſe to become Purchaſers in thoſe Commodities.

To be Exported,

Cambricks or French Lawns, Mens Ruffles and Boſoms wrought with Thread, Flowered and Brocaded Silks, Sattin Shapes for Waiſtcoats, and ſundry other Silk Manufactures, and a Variety of Eaſt India and other Prohibited Goods.

For Home Conſumption,

Sundry Pieces of Muſlin plain, Muſlin Handkerchiefs, Muſlin Neckcloths, Aprons, Handkerchiefs and Ruffles wrought with Thread, Nankin Cloth, ſeveral Sorts of plain and printed Linens, Blois or Blond Lace, Bone Lace, Siſters Thread, Silk Stockings, Leather Gloves, Black Pins, Necklaces and Earings, Tortoiſeſhell and Paper Snuff Boxes, Paper, Pictures and Picture Frames, Prints, Bronzes, and Sulphur Impreſſions, Sword Blades, Spermaceti, Wax Candles, Gold and Silver Lace and Apparel to be burnt, Gold, Silver, Woollen and Linen Wearing Apparel, Cutlery, Hardware, China Ware, Paſte Stones, Mens and Womens Leghorn and Chip Hats, ſundry Parcels of Grocery and Drugs, Wine in Casks and Bottles, Rum, Brandy, Geneva, Arrack, Cordial Waters, and ſeveral Parcels of Bohea and Green Tea, Coffee Raw and Roaſted, a Boat and Oars, with Tackle and Furniture of two Veſſels, Refus'd Wines, and ſeveral Sorts of other Goods as mentioned in the Catalogue. Clear of all Duties (Chocolate excepted.)

The Goods to be ſeen and taſted at the King's Warehouſe at the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, on Thurſday the 17th, Saturday the 19th, and Monday the 21ſt of October inſtant, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and on the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered. The Boat, with Tackle, &c. to be ſeen at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet-Dock Rotherhith.

MEſſieurs Miles Barber and William Maſon, Aſſignees of the Effects of Robert Mackmillan and Edmund Ford, both of Lancaſter, Merchants, intend to meet at Thomas Warbrick's, the Croſs Keys in Bridge Lane Lancaſter, on Monday the 4th of November next, to make a Dividend of 7 s. 6 d. in the Pound amongſt all the Creditors who ſhall come in under the Aſſignment, and by themſelves, or their lawful Attornies, execute an Inſtrument lodged with Mr. Anthony Atkinſon, Attorney at Law in Lancaſter, whereby the Creditors agree to accept of a Dividend of the Effects in full of their Debts. N. B. A final Dividend will be advertiſed as ſoon as poſſible.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Majeſty's Fee Farm and other Rents in the ſeveral Counties of Kent, Surry, Suſſex, Northampton and Derby, are to be paid annually at the reſpective Audits held at the ſeveral Places appointed according to Proclamation, and Notice given upon my Acquittances; after which, (for the Convenience of His Majeſty's Tenants) all Rents left unpaid at the ſaid Audits may be paid to me at my Houſe in York Street Covent Garden, (inſtead of my Chambers in Lyons Inn) where, for the future, Attendance will be given for Receiving the ſame in Michaelmas Term, every Wedneſday and Friday, from Ten in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon; and after the End of the ſaid Term, on Saturday's only, till Lady-day, at which Time all Rents remaining in Arrears will be given in Charge to be levied.

James Beſt, *Receiver.*

Sunderland, October 9, 1765.

THE Creditors of Thomas Chilton, late of Sunderland near the Sea in the County of Durham, Maſter and Mariner, deceaſed, are deſired to take Notice, that a Dividend of the ſaid Thomas Chilton's Effects will be made on the 30th Day of October Inſtant, at Mr. Dunn's Office in Sunderland aforeſaid; and the ſaid Dividend will be then paid to the ſaid Creditors, or to ſuch Perſon or Perſons as ſhall be by them properly authoriſed to receive ſame.

IF any of the next of Kin or Relations of John Burnett, formerly a Mariner belonging to His Majeſty's Ship the Auguſta, and late belonging to His Majeſty's Ship the Centaur at Portſmouth, and laſt at the Weſt Indies, deceaſed, and who was born near Biſhop-warmouth, (as is ſuppoſed) in the County of Durham, be living, they are deſired to apply to Mr. Mair's, Linnen Draper, at the Ship and Sun in Biſhopſgate Street without, London, where they will hear of ſomething to their Advantage.

ALL Perſons that have any Claims or Demands on John Taylor, late of Stroud in the County of Kent, deceaſed, who was Purſer of His Majeſty's Ship the Princeſs Royal, are peremptorily to ſend their Accounts thereof to Mr. Robert Barnevelt, in Thames Street near Billingſgate, London; or to Mr. Henry Curtis, at Brompton near Chatham in Kent, on or before the 16th Day of December next, or otherwiſe the Effects of the ſaid John Taylor will be applied and diſpoſed of to the Perſons entitled thereto; and the Creditors making ſuch Default will be excluded from any Benefit from the ſame.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Sir John Elliot, late Rector of Laddock in the County of Cornwall, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſions of Bankrupt awarded againſt the following Perſons, viz. Nicholas Lilley, of Aſhton under Line in the County of Lancaſter, Clothier, Dealer and Chapman; Nicholas Lilley, of Aſhton under Line in the County of Lancaſter, and Iſaac Heapy and Peter Heapy, both of Stockport in the County of Cheſter, Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen; and Iſaac Heapy, Peter Heapy, and Thomas Worthington, of Stockport in the County of Cheſter, Copartners, Hat-makers, Dealers and Chapmen, are deſired to meet the ſeveral Aſſignees under the ſaid Commiſſions, at the Rainbow Coffee Houſe in Cornhill, on Tueſday the 5th Day of November next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, in order to conſider whether or not it will be for the Intereſt of the ſaid Bankrupts ſeveral Creditors under the ſaid Commiſſions to conſolidate the ſeveral Eſtates of the ſaid Bankrupts, and make one Dividend thereout equally among all the Creditors under the ſaid ſeveral Commiſſions, or what other Method will be moſt proper to purſue, in order to ſettle the ſaid Bankrupts Accounts for the mutual Intereſt of their ſeveral Creditors, that a Dividend may be forthwith made under the ſaid Commiſſions.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Sayer, of Cow Lane Weſt Smithfield, London, Tobacconiſt, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 1ſt, 2d, and 30th Days of November next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Gregg, at Skinners Hall Dowgate Hill, London.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Willſon, of the Pariſh of Stepney, otherwiſe Stebonheath, in the County of Middleſex, Twine Spinner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 12th Day of November next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Law, of the Pariſh of St. Bartholomew the Great in the City of London, Linnen Draper, intend to meet on the 12th Day of November next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Charles Topping, of Leadenhall Street, London, Seedſman, intend to meet on the 12th of November next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Kearſly, of the Pariſh of St. Martin Ludgate in the City of London, Bookſeller and Stationer, intend to meet on the 11th of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Baſwick, of High Wycombe in the County of Bucks, Linnen Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Moſeley the Younger, of Chicheſter in the County of Suſſex, Linnen Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

In laſt Tueſday's Gazette, in the Commiſſion of Bankruptcy awarded againſt Thomas Aſhhurſt Maclane, for the 30th of November next, read the 26th of November next.

THE